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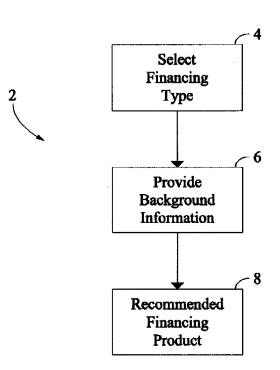


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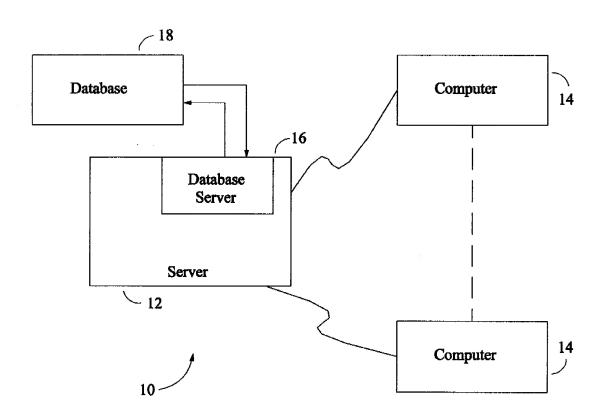


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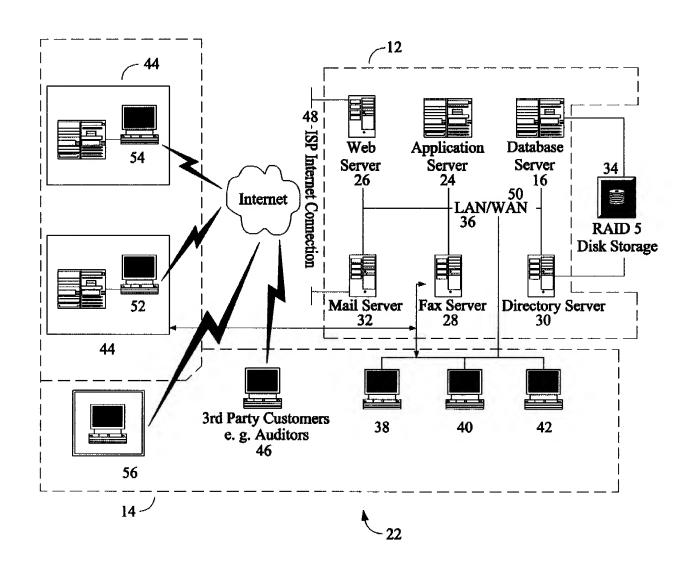
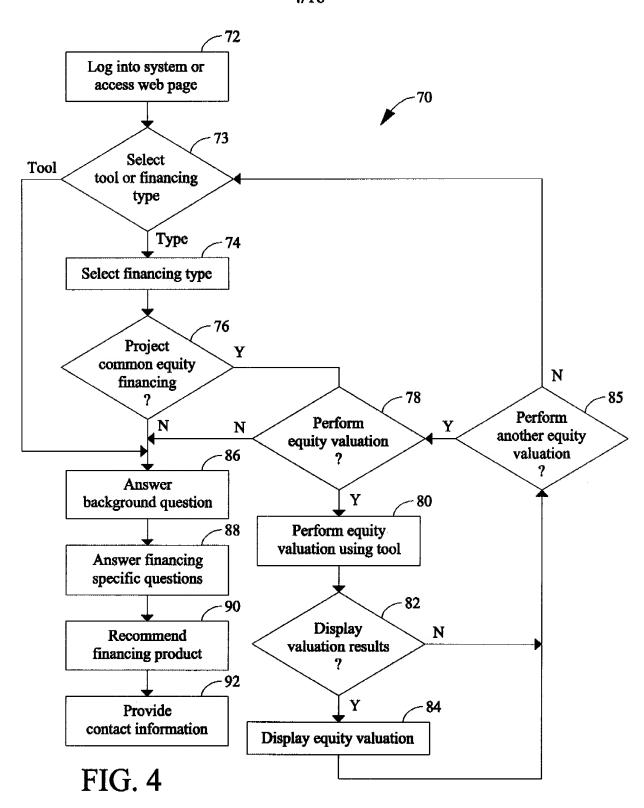


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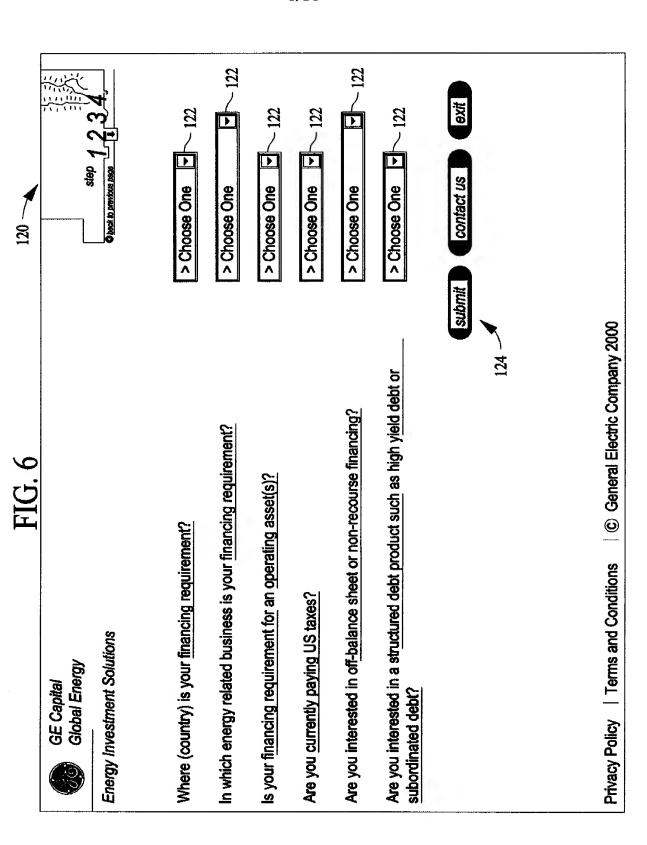
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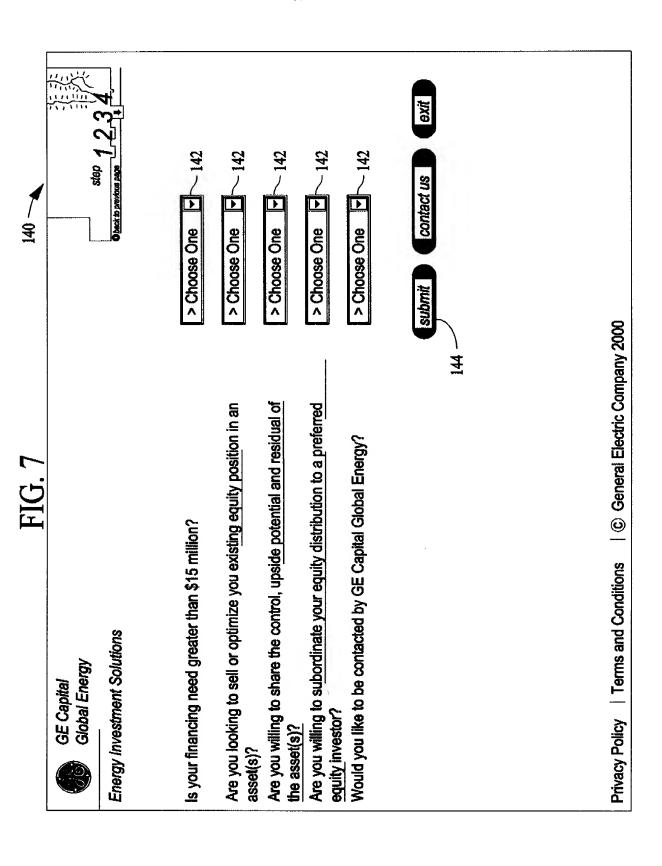
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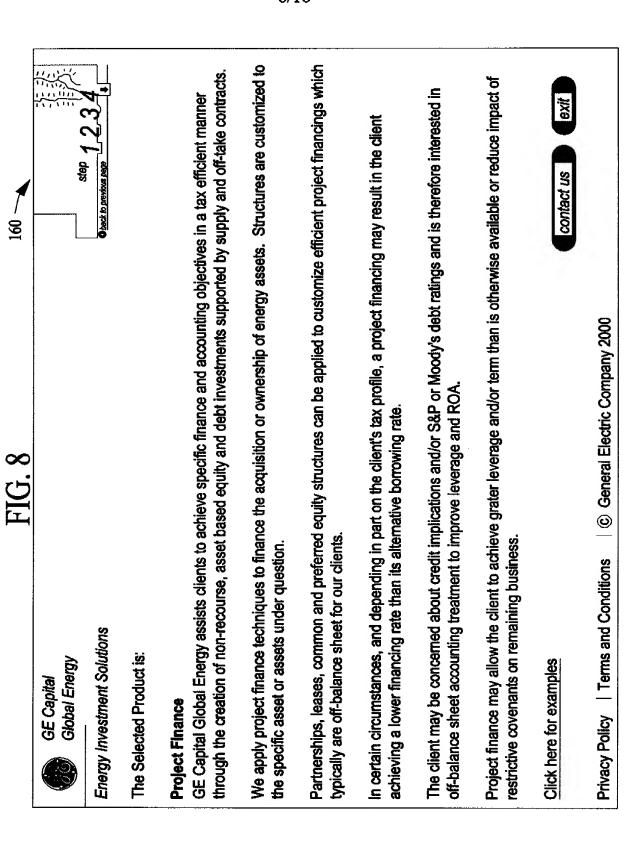
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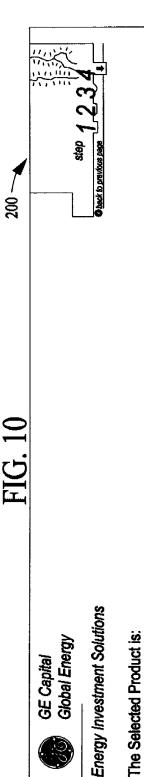
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Leasing Product

GE Capital Global Energy is highly experienced in all forms of lease investing.

In the United States, we typically structure leveraged leases or single investor leases. We also structure cross-border lease transactions, and structures in which assist clients to monetize assets already on balance sheet through a sale and easeback to the owner.

Leasing may be an option if the client is concerned about credit implications and/or S&P or Moodys' debt ratings and is therefore interested in off-balance sheet accounting treatment to improve leverage and ROA.

qualify as "operating leases" for accounting and "true leases" for tax purposes. Depending on the client's tax position, the SIL and LL can provide 7-30 years off-balance sheet financing priced well below the client's alternative borrowing rate. Single Investor Lease ("SIL") and Leveraged Leases ("LL") are tax advantaged, asset based financings which typically

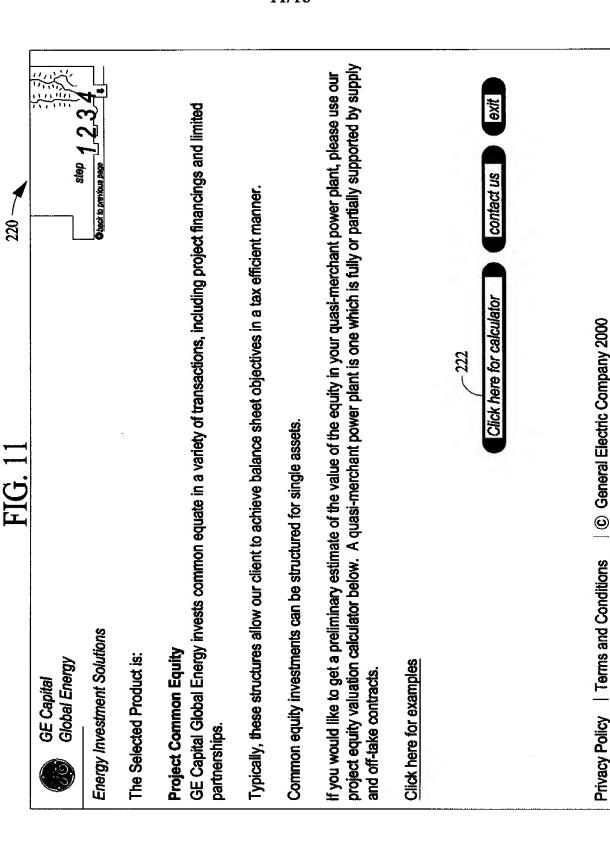
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## **Limited Partnership**

refinancings or monetizations of existing assets. They can be asset-based, non-recourse and/or off-balance sheet to meet Our limited Partnerships are extremely flexible, and are suitable for project financings, deconsolidations, acquisitions and client objectives

Limited Partnership financing is an efficient vehicle as it may permit returns to be earned through accounting benefits and cash distributions in a tax efficient manner. GE Capital Global Energy invests through limited partner equity or preferred limited partner equity, with distributions geared to targeted rates of return. Ownership interests also can be structured to duration of term and residual value. Depending on the assets and ownership it may be possible to record an accounting gain without such gain being subject to current income tax

GE Capital Global Energy is willing to discuss a reduced return after-tax and a smaller residual position/upside sharing position in exchange for preference in cash distributions to the other partner(s) and a fixed and determinable payment stream to allow us to account for the investment as a receivable.

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### Private Equity

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Our clients benefit from our extensive corporate heritage in the energy industry as well as industry leading in-house corporate R&D expertise. GE Capital Global Energy also actively considers private equity opportunities in acquisition, M&A and recapitalization situations.

We are predominantly minority investors in high-quality private companies, but will also make investments in publicly traded Typically, we are looking for an investment size between \$5MM and \$50MM but are willing to consider larger investments. companies

Regardless of their size or industry, all of our portfolio companies possess solid management with established products or services

Our investments include the use of preferred stock, convertible debt, subordinated debt, and common stock.

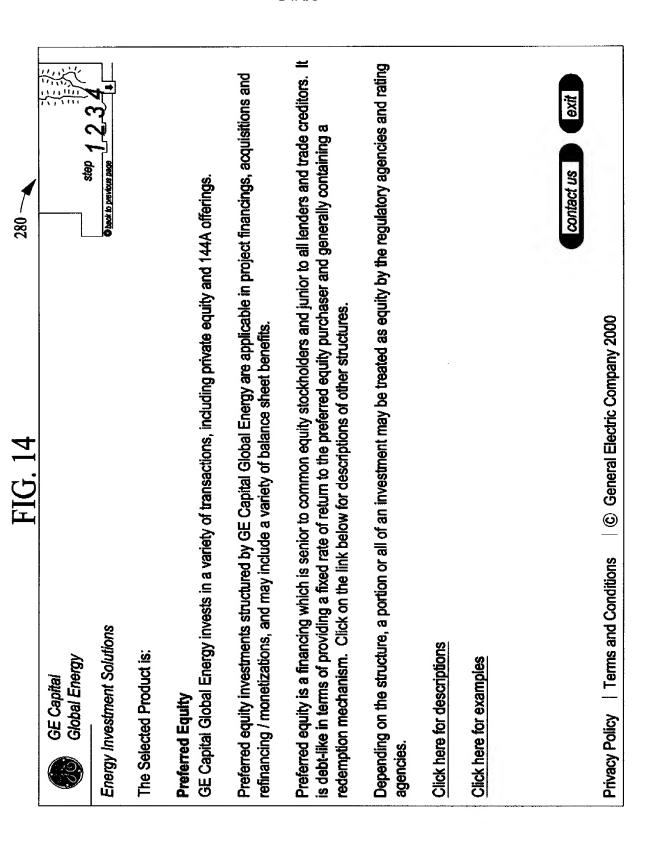
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